SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS

Please amend paragraph [0035] as follows:

[0035] Although particular embodiments have been described in detail, various modifications to the embodiments described herein may be made without departing from the spirit and scope of the present invention, thus, the invention is limited only by the appended claims. For example, the disclosed embodiments may be employed in conjunction with LUTs that use LUT mask sharing as disclosed in <u>US Patent No 6,798,240 [US Patent Application No. 10/351,026]</u>, filed January 24, 2003 and assigned to the assignee of the present patent application.